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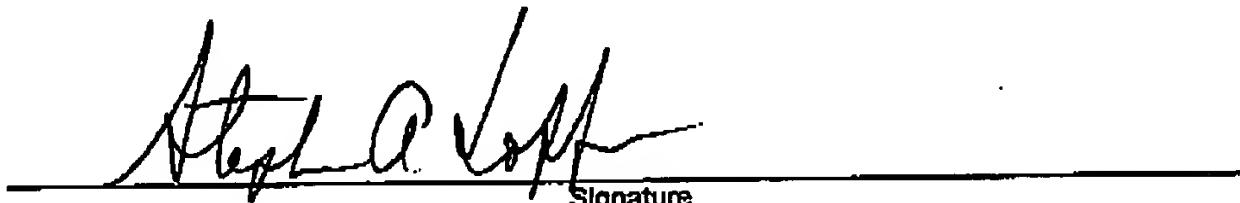
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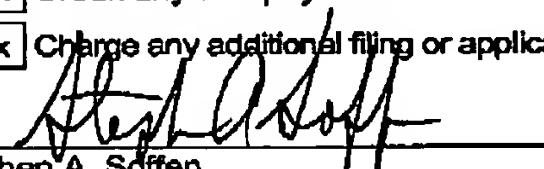
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In response to the Office Action dated January 9, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.**

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